

PORT COMMISSION MEETS IN BRISTOL

Southwest Virginia Business
Interests to Be Considered
by Body.

WILL STOP OFF AT ELK GARDEN

Coal Mining and Cattle Raising as
Related to Hampton Roads' Ship-
ping Facilities to be Subject of
Two Conferences.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 10.—The
sixth meeting of the Hampton Roads
Port Commission, the body created
by the Virginia General Assembly to
make an investigation of the State's
ports, will be held at Bristol on Sep-
tember 13 and at Norfolk on Sep-
tember 14.

The commission has made no an-
nouncement of the phase of its in-
vestigation which it proposes to con-
sider at this meeting. However, it is
expected that particular attention
will be given to the coal mining and
cattle raising sections as they are
related to Virginia's commerce.

In order that the relation of all
sections of the State of Virginia's
commerce might be studied, the com-
mission adopted the policy of holding
its meetings in as many Virginia
cities as possible. Meetings have al-
ready been held in Norfolk, Ports-
mouth, Newport News, Richmond and
Roanoke. It was decided to make
the sixth session a two-day meeting
in order that Southwest Virginia
might have full opportunity to pre-
sent its views on port development.

Long Arranging for Meeting.
Arrangements for the Southwest
Virginia meeting are being made by
Lee Long, of Pante, Va., vice-presi-
dent of the Clinchfield Coal Cor-
poration, and one of the most active
members of the commission.

A delegation from Tidewater Vir-
ginia will leave Norfolk Monday
night, arriving at Bluefield, W. Va.,
Tuesday morning. The party will be
met at Bluefield by automobiles and
carried across country to Norton,
stopping en route at Elk Garden, the
estate of former Governor Henry C.
Sims. A business session will be
held in Norton Tuesday afternoon,
followed by a banquet given to the
commission and other visitors by the
Virginia Coal Operators' Association
at the Hotel Norton Tuesday night.
The party will proceed to Bristol
Wednesday morning where the com-
mission will be in session Wednes-
day afternoon.

Is Great Coal-Mining Center.

Norton is the center of the coal
operations of Southwest Virginia and
is headquarters of the Virginia Coal
Operators' Association, embracing
some fifty operators in the field. The
commission now has a great many
recommendations on its docket which
were submitted at the meetings al-
ready held, and such suggestions as
are made at Norton and Bristol will
be added to this list. At the open
hearings are completed the commis-
sion will formulate its recommenda-
tions to the General Assembly based
upon the suggestions that have been
submitted. This report will take the
form of recommendations as to the
extent to which the State of Vir-
ginia should participate in the de-
velopment of its ports.

A report just made public by the
United States Department of Com-
merce places Hampton Roads as sec-
ond port of the United States in ton-
nage of shipping, entering and leav-
ing in foreign trade. The figures as

listed apply to the Virginia district,
but all shipping entering and clear-
ing in foreign trade in this district is
credited to the Hampton Roads ports.
The figures as given out by the De-
partment of Commerce for the various
customs districts are as follows:
New York, 32,149,000; net tonnage;
Virginia, 10,382,000; New Orleans, 3,
505,000; Maryland, 3,051,000; Phila-
delphia, 7,321,000; Washington (State),
5,788,000; Galveston, 5,264,000; Florida,
4,689,000; Massachusetts, 3,586,000;
San Francisco, 2,283,000; Mobile,
1,539,000; Maine and New Hampshire,
1,414,000; Georgia, 1,307,000; South
Carolina, 988,000; Rhode Island, 738,
000; Oregon, 663,000; North Carolina,
214,000.

Warn Against Killing Bull Bats.
LYNCHBURG, Va., Sept. 10.—Vir-
ginian hunters are being advised by
authorities in this section of the
State that the killing of bull bats is a
violation of the Federal migratory
law, as well as the State law, and
that the Federal fine is up to \$500
for each case.

CHINESE EAST CROWD OUT TAHITI NATIVES

Acquires Control of All Business in
Islands, and Immigration Is
Constant.

PAPEETE, TAHITI, Sept. 10.—The
Chinese have invaded this section
of the South Sea Islands to such
an extent that they have almost run
the natives out of the retail business.
Originally the Chinese came to Ta-
hiti as field laborers, but they soon
saw an opportunity to engage in
small trading, and as more and more
came to the island, they have prac-
tically acquired the whole of the re-
tail trade. Their operations have ex-
tended to all the islands under the
French flag.
Papeete has long ago lost its char-
acter as a Tahitian or even a French
town.
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Chinese in the island and a constant
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